



**David  
Ahenakew**

**Pierre  
Elliot  
Trudeau**

Andy Clark, UPI

**“... these goddamned immigrants:  
East Indians, Pakistanis,  
Afghanistan, whites and so forth ...”**

DAVID AHENAKEW, O.C., FORMER GRAND CHIEF, ASSEMBLY OF FIRST NATIONS (AFN), FORMER CHIEF AND SENATOR, FEDERATION OF SASKATCHEWAN INDIAN NATIONS (FSIN); IN A DECEMBER 13, 2002, ADDRESS TO AN FSIN CONFERENCE ON HEALTH CANADA POLICY.



## Dr. Jim Pankiw, MP

For too long, the vast - though silent - majority of people have been intimidated by Indian lobbyists and supporters of race-based privileges from speaking out against programs that divide our country into so-called “First Nations”, and the rest of us.

However, the offensive remarks of David Ahenakew and other prominent Indian lobbyists, have stripped the veneer away from their hidden agenda. Along with successive Liberal governments, they have undermined equality by segregating Indians and attaching conditions of race to social policy - It's clear who the racists are.

The result is a dysfunctional and disastrous Indian policy that uses \$8 BILLION in federal tax dollars EACH YEAR to perpetuate an historically inspired collective guilt among non-Indians; and a culture of self-victimization/dependency among Indians. It's time to say “No More”; I invite you to fill out the questionnaire, and speak out against racist schemes that divide our society.

With your support, you can be certain that I will continue to “tell it like it is” by defending and promoting the principle of equality for everyone.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "J.K. Pankiw". The signature is fluid and cursive, with "J.K." on top and "Pankiw" below it.

**DR. JIM PANKIW, MP**

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## RACE-BASED INEQUALITY



Segregationist policies of the *Indian Act* which isolate and divide society.



Race-based hiring quotas for Indians.



Two-tier Criminal Code sentencing provisions that give lenient sentences to Indian criminals.



Special hunting and fishing privileges for Indians.



Indians exempted from paying taxes.

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## A VISION FOR EQUALITY



**Abolish the *Indian Act*.**



**Equality of opportunity and merit-based hiring.**



**Restore the criminal justice system to ensure that all criminals are treated the same regardless of race.**



**End special privileges and race-based government policies.**



**Eliminate special tax exempt status for Indians.**

# RACISM EXAMPLES NOT REPORTED BY SASKATOON'S NEWSPAPER MONOPOLY, THE STAR-PHOENIX.



“... homely, diseased people on boats... because you were the lowest of the low. You came here because you couldn't make a living, and you had nowhere else to go. And what did we do? Well, we welcomed you. Stupid mistake. Really silly mistake. We should have kicked your ass for a hundred years. And we really should have killed you all for a hundred years, and hopefully, selective breeding could have produced some decent people.”

**CHIEF BILL WILSON, FORMER CHAIRMAN B.C. FIRST NATIONS CONGRESS. NOVEMBER 21, 1990.**

**“... white mobs burned our boats and beat our people.”**

**MATHEW COON COME, GRAND CHIEF OF THE ASSEMBLY OF FIRST NATIONS, AUGUST 30, 2001 BEFORE THE U.N.**



“What was your intent to print that story? Why would you do that? Whatever he (Ahenakew) says personally is an opinion ... he's entitled to an opinion.”

**LAWRENCE JOSEPH, FSIN VICE-CHIEF, DECEMBER 14, 2002, IN DEFENCE OF COMMENTS BY DAVID AHENAKEW.**

“... the non-First Nations people are indeed treaty beneficiaries in their continued use and enjoyment of the Treaty/Indian lands **now called** Canada,”

**PERRY BELLEGARE, FSIN CHIEF, SEPTEMBER 28, 2001 LETTER TO RT. HON. JOE CLARK, P.C., MP.**



“You're going, you're going, that's the bottom line. You're getting out of our country... You guys should be on a reserve. Not us. This is our country.”

**MELVIN LABOUCAN, FORMER CHIEF OF WOODLAND CREE, OCTOBER 2002.**

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